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Subject: TCLI Staffing Performance Measure Clarification for LME-MCO Monthly Report

This bulletin serves as a follow-up to <u>Joint Communication Bulletin J#185</u> which clarifies the methodology for counting full time employees on the Transition to Community Living Initiative (TCLI) LME-MCO monthly report. The JCB indicates that only staff solely dedicated to complete the In-Reach and Transition Coordinator function should be captured on the monthly report.

Effective August 1, 2016, LME-MCOs may include supervisors, lead staff and individuals hired in specialty roles related to TCLI in the total number of hired In-reach and Transition Coordinators. The change in methodology should be reflected on the LME-MCO monthly report to be submitted in September.

DHHS will continue to review this information in the Quarterly Intra-Departmental Monitoring Team meetings and Annual Onsite Reviews. Questions regarding the methodology to capture the number of FTE In-reach and Transition Coordinators on the LME-MCO monthly report can be sent to Beverly Bell at 919-855-4321 or beverly.bell@dhhs.nc.gov or Adolph Simmons at 919-855-4357 or adolph.simmons@dhhs.nc.gov

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